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REMARKS

Applicants have amended claims 47 and 67, and added new claims 69-71.

Support for the amendment of claims 47 and 67, and new claims 69-71 is found throughout the specification, e.g., page 18, lines 28-29. Thus, the amended and new claims raise no new matter.

Applicant elects the following species:

Species 1B: humanized antibodies;

Species 2B: monoclonal antibodies;

Species 3A: IgG1; and,

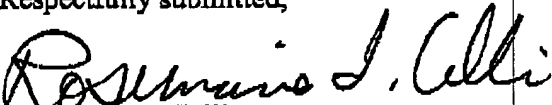
Species 4D: antibodies that bind to an epitope within residues 3-7 of A β .

Claims 47 and 67-71 read on humanized antibodies (species 1B), monoclonal antibodies (species 2B), and IgG1 (species 3A). Claims 47, 67-68, and 71 read on antibodies that bind to an epitope within residues 3-7 of A β (species 4D).

Applicants maintain the traverse of the requirement to elect a species of Group 4.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

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